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GLOSSARY OF TERMS

VISITORS = average occupants/vehicle x number of daily vehicle permits + average occupants/vehicle x number of annual vehicle permits x 10 + number of bus permits x 40 + number of regular camper nights + group day-use visitors + group camping camper nights + free day-use visitors + interior camper nights.

CAMPER NIGHT is defined as one camper staying in a provincial park for one night.

CAMPSITE OCCUPIED is defined as one campsite occupied for one night.

AVERAGE LENGTH OF STAY = $\frac{\text{Regular Camper Nights}}{\text{Campers}}$

AVERAGE PARTY SIZE = $\frac{\text{Regular Camper Nights}}{\text{Campsites Occupied}}$

JULY-AUGUST = $\frac{\text{Campsites occupied in July and August}}{\text{Campsites available in park x 62 days}} \times 100$
 % OCCUPANCY

CLASSIFICATIONS:

- R - Recreation
- NE - Natural Environment
- NR - Nature Reserve
- Wa - Waterway
- H - Historical
- Wi - Wilderness

GENERAL VISITOR STATISTICS

ONTARIO PROVINCIAL PARKS

The General Visitor Statistics provide data on various aspects of park use, both by day-visitors and by campers. The period of operation covered by this section is November 1, 1984 to October 31, 1985.

STATISTICAL COMPARISON
ONTARIO PROVINCIAL PARKS

1965 - 1985

Year	Parks	Area in Hectares	Vehicles	Visitors	Total Visitor Services Program Attendance*	Developed Campsites	Camper Nights	Average Length of Stay (days)	Ontario (%)	Other Provinces (%)	U.S.A. and Others (%)
1965	89	1,515,575	2,437,988	8,875,668	469,914	15,427	2,495,284	2.8	63	7	30
1966	92	1,517,643	2,738,664	9,791,671	545,021	15,922	2,653,055	2.7	66	6	28
1967	94	1,521,283	2,817,362	10,192,533	579,850	16,201	2,805,143	2.4	61	10	29
1968	96	1,524,193	2,588,252	9,440,211	661,598	17,298	2,457,801	2.2	69	7	24
1969	97	3,393,736	2,946,228	10,459,936	774,097	18,039	2,956,214	2.2	69	7	24
1970	108	4,145,948	3,468,758	12,172,254	754,021	18,296	3,524,322	2.2	68	6	26
1971	113	4,164,553	3,903,368	13,658,619	892,760	18,941	3,788,525	2.3	68	6	26
1972	115	4,197,141	3,652,935	12,320,794	796,709	19,983	3,291,559	2.2	68	6	26
1973	115	4,214,132	3,585,161	12,136,909	894,314	20,209	3,547,215	2.2	68	6	26
1974	117	4,218,569	3,286,106	11,031,651	919,286	20,036	3,702,059	2.3	68	6	26
1975	121	4,239,001	3,401,561	11,139,864	1,454,270	20,332	3,979,473	2.5	68	6	26
1976	122	4,362,643	3,431,189	10,732,666	1,485,340	19,851	3,766,796	2.5	75	8	17
1977	126	4,363,933	3,276,625	10,431,166	1,900,016	20,035	3,571,581	2.6	73	9	18
1978	128	4,275,614	2,940,238	9,570,382	1,803,156	20,176	3,116,421	2.3	77	9	14
1979	128	4,255,388	N/A	5,161,563+	1,401,256	20,723	3,259,752	2.4	77	8	15
1980	131	4,256,729	N/A	5,210,712	1,277,229	20,723	3,195,477	2.4	78	7	15
1981	131	4,252,960	N/A	5,948,528++	1,415,422	20,757	3,283,299	2.5	-	-	-
1982	132	4,253,502	N/A	6,250,777	1,442,408	20,393	3,287,603	2.6	-	-	-
1983	138	5,476,369	N/A	7,647,287+++	1,497,691	20,526	3,726,427	2.7	-	-	-
1984	138	5,476,804	N/A	7,337,892	1,397,057	20,481	3,764,006	2.6	-	-	-
1985	220	5,657,287	N/A	7,524,003++++	1,608,789	20,472	3,718,634	2.6	-	-	-

* This column does not include publications.

+ Total visitors calculated from permit sales only.

++ Includes free day-use visitors.

+++ Total visitors calculated from Permit sales + free day-use visitors + Interior Camper Nights. Includes traffic count visitors for Wasaga Beach Provincial Park.

++++ Includes winter visitors (November 1, 1984 to March 31, 1985).

ALGONQUIN REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Algonquin	NE	765,345	491,259	25,741	331	41	144,493	404,580	1,385	66,360	2.8	3.3	62%
Arrowhead	NE	963	88,741	3,635	186	1	28,918	69,403	389	19,629	2.4	3.5	63%
Bonnechere	R	113	22,483	1,445	7	1	4,832	17,396	113	5,117	3.6	3.4	60%
Bigwind Lake	NE	1,970	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Carson Lake	R	13	5,547	-	-	-	1,380	2,208	43	736	1.6	3.0	21%
Dividing Lake	NR	350	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Driftwood	R	265	11,669	828	6	6	4,661	8,389	79	2,707	1.8	3.1	41%
Foy Property	R	148	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Grundy Lake	NE	2,554	59,368	1,040	9	-	18,583	55,748	520	16,460	3.0	3.2	54%
Hardy Lake	NE	684	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
J. Albert Bauer	NE	163	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Killbear	NE	1,756	198,439	2,832	25	16	39,549	185,878	883	49,535	4.7	3.7	79%
Lake St. Peter	R	25	10,004	185	10	-	4,479	8,957	62	2,800	2.0	3.2	56%
Limestone Islands	NR	450	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Matawatchan	NR	65	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mikisew	R	131	34,042	763	2	-	13,560	31,187	265	8,208	2.3	3.8	45%
Oastler Lake	R	32	36,114	1,301	24	2	9,523	28,570	145	8,391	3.0	3.4	75%
O'Donnell Point	NR	875	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

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ALGONQUIN REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Opeongo River	Wa	955	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Oxtongue River - Ragged Falls	Wa	382	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Petroglyphs	H	1,555	20,169	5,052	3	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Silent Lake	NE	1,450	35,421	2,230	17	11	11,924	27,425	167	8,067	2.3	3.4	64%
Sturgeon Bay	R	14	15,655	461	6	-	4,733	14,199	82	4,897	3.0	2.9	76%
Westmeath	NE	610	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
ALGONQUIN REGION TOTALS		780,868	1,028,911	45,513	626	79	286,635	853,940	4,133	192,907	-	3.4	

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Awenda	NE	2,917	45,736	1,699	29	1	14,822	38,538	200	10,450	2.6	3.3	69%
Balsam Lake	R	449	97,089	3,521	14	-	30,376	85,053	489	25,431	2.8	3.2	63%
Bass Lake	R	39	57,198	2,983	52	7	15,577	35,828	92	7,985	2.3	3.6	16%
Boyne Valley	R	434	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Bronte Creek	R	640	292,269	52,843	687	468	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Darlington	R	209	92,680	7,253	60	10	32,427	64,853	350	21,535	2.0	2.9	63%
Devils Glen	R	6	7,383	602	4	-	3,555	5,332	45	1,721	1.5	3.1	44%
Duclos Point	NR	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Earl Rowe	R	312	114,562	11,887	89	14	26,688	66,721	555	20,497	2.5	3.1	42%
Emily	R	83	67,475	3,445	47	-	18,242	52,903	299	14,034	2.9	3.6	59%
Forks of the Credit	NE	261	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gibson River	NR	168	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mara	R	45	28,956	2,027	6	7	6,747	20,916	106	5,229	3.1	4.0	69%
Mark S. Burnham	R	39	22,527	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
McRae Point	R	138	46,561	1,423	6	1	13,327	39,982	205	12,495	3.0	3.2	72%
Mono Cliffs	NE	631	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Peter's Woods	NR	34	2,709	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quackenbush	H	40	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rock Point	R	187	42,808	3,403	14	4	12,070	28,969	126	8,112	2.4	3.4	78%
Serpent Mounds	NE	135	48,861	4,054	19	-	10,176	31,546	113	8,089	3.1	3.9	76%
Short Hills	NE	661	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sibbald Point	R	226	258,166	29,830	154	39	44,204	123,770	648	31,184	2.8	3.5	55%

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CENTRAL REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Six Mile Lake	R	94	49,551	2,027	11	9	16,642	41,606	192	11,612	2.5	3.4	70%
Springwater	R	47	47,879	9,047	60	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wasaga Beach*	R	1,545	935,269	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Waubausheene Beaches	NR	34	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wolf Island	NE	222	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
CENTRAL REGION TOTALS		9,707	2,257,679	136,044	1,252	563	244,853	636,017	3,420	178,374	-	3.3	

*Traffic Count Visitation

EASTERN REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Bon Echo	NE	6,644	115,825	3,725	21	2	29,749	101,148	530	30,947	3.4	3.1	79%
Carillon	R	1,417	107,506	12,144	43	74	18,750	43,125	416	10,647	2.3	3.4	29%
Charleston Lake	NE	902	81,524	3,909	68	-	28,129	64,697	250	15,713	2.3	3.6	81%
Ferris	NE	198	8,242	304	-	-	3,586	6,814	163	2,187	1.9	3.1	15%
Fitzroy	R	185	58,177	4,572	14	2	17,132	34,263	245	7,758	2.0	3.6	37%
Frontenac	NE	5,130	9,242	843	17	-	-	3,379	42	1,356	-	-	30%
Lake on the Mountain	R	104	99,034	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Murphys Point	NE	1,240	37,723	2,204	19	1	10,602	26,504	182	7,048	2.5	3.5	48%
North Beach	R	89	49,185	11,957	178	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Presqu'ile	NE	937	197,837	21,933	358	4	33,312	93,273	393	25,341	2.8	3.4	79%
Rideau River	R	98	42,264	3,695	15	1	15,229	27,412	186	7,680	1.8	3.2	51%
Sandbanks	NE	1,509	329,412	50,658	449	62	35,375	116,739	411	31,644	3.3	3.6	96%
Sharbot Lake	R	69	32,086	798	6	-	10,543	28,465	194	8,580	2.7	3.3	56%
Silver Lake	R	43	36,148	3,019	31	9	10,569	22,195	148	6,529	2.1	3.4	56%
Stoco Fen	NR	102	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Timber Island	NR	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
EASTERN REGION TOTALS		18,711	1,204,205	119,761	1,219	155	212,976	568,014	3,160	155,430	-	3.4	

NORTH CENTRAL REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Albert Lake Mesa	NR	130	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arrow Lake	R	430	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Arrowhead Peninsula	NR	815	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Castle Creek	NR	1,075	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cavern Lake	NR	189	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Craig's Pit	NR	530	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Devon Road Mesa	NR	60	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Divide Ridge	NR	235	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Edward Island	NR	600	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fraleigh Lake	NR	825	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Gravel River	NR	763	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kabitotikwia River	NR	1,965	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kakabeka Falls	NE	420	305,578	4,872	41	3	22,237	166	9,547	1.4	3.1	71%
Kama Hills	NR	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kashabowie	NE	2,055	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Klotz Lake	R	119	1,419	-	-	-	1,092	30	458	1.3	3.1	22%
Lake Nipigon	NE	1,458	3,570	73	-	-	1,974	85	987	1.5	3.0	20%
Le Pate	NR	250	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Little Greenwater Lake	NR	244	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Livingstone Point	NR	1,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
MacLeod	R	74	14,363	884	32	4	3,496	85	2,970	3.1	3.6	44%
Matawin River	NR	2,615	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NORTH CENTRAL REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Middle Falls	NE	907	2,645	127	1	-	1,655	25	572	1.1	3.0	28%
Neys	NE	3,445	21,171	982	9	4	12,780	146	5,904	1.4	3.0	52%
Ouimet Canyon	NR	777	34,407	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Porphyry Island	NR	107	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Prairie River Mouth	NR	380	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Puff Island	NR	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quetico	Wi	475,819	119,003	1,413	141	-	52,202	133	2,463	2.1	3.1	23%
Rainbow Falls	R	575	22,976	2,035	31	2	12,383	225	5,366	1.3	3.0	48%
Red Sucker Point	NR	360	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Schreiber Channel	NR	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sedgman Lake	NR	5,710	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Shesheeb Bay	NR	275	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sibley	NE	24,435	40,659	2,800	7	-	11,362	200	7,122	2.2	3.3	45%
Silver Falls	NE	3,261	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Slate Islands	NE	6,570	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thompson Island	NR	145	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wabakimi	Wi	155,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
West Bay	NR	1,120	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Winisk River	Wa	173,530	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NORTH CENTRAL REGION TOTALS		869,091	565,791	13,186	262	13	119,181	1,095	35,389	-	3.1	

NORTHEASTERN REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy	
Antoine	R	12	362	8	-	-	97	338	30	135	3.5	2.3	7%
Aubrey Falls	NE	4,860	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Batchawana	R	169	26,702	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chutes	R	108	27,068	758	7	-	15,319	21,447	134	6,648	1.4	3.2	66%
Fairbank	R	105	28,365	885	45	3	7,045	21,135	160	5,204	3.0	3.7	43%
Finlayson Point	R	37	16,544	276	16	-	5,466	14,758	114	4,341	2.7	3.4	51%
Halfway Lake	NE	4,730	53,190	1,057	1	-	15,509	48,077	215	10,026	3.1	4.5	59%
Killarney	Wi	48,500	47,020	616	4	3	16,623	44,882	122	8,765	2.7	3.2	93%
La Cloche	NE	7,448	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lady Evelyn Smoothwater	Wi	72,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake Superior	NE	155,659	176,071	-	-	-	21,908	30,671	280	9,400	1.4	3.0	45%
Makobe - Grays River	Wa	1,427	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Marten River	R	400	17,138	454	1	-	5,731	15,475	216	4,481	2.7	3.4	27
Mashkinonje	R	940	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mattawa River	Wa	3,258	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michipicoten	H	289	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Michipicoten Island	NE	36,740	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mississagi	NE	2,883	12,812	740	14	-	3,407	9,881	100	2,745	2.9	3.5	35%

NORTHEASTERN REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Mississagi Delta	NR	2,395	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Mississagi River	Wa	19,814	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Montreal River	NR	44	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Obatanga	NE	9,409	11,444	283	2	-	6,623	132	3,532	1.6	3.0	39%
Pancake Bay	R	490	48,155	174	-	-	24,357	338	12,405	1.7	3.2	45%
Potholes	NR	247	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Restoule	NE	1,200	28,692	334	4	-	6,272	278	7,939	4.4	3.4	39%
Samuel de Champlain	NE	2,550	22,661	1,587	27	1	7,024	216	5,092	2.4	3.2	32%
South Bay	R	1,525	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Wanapitei	NE	2,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
White Lake	R	1,726	34,836	1,994	20	2	16,417	185	7,701	1.6	3.3	53%
Windy Lake	R	118	54,442	2,833	90	2	6,568	83	4,005	2.9	3.7	65%
W.J.B. Greenwood	R	465	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
NORTHEASTERN REGION TOTALS		382,648	605,502	11,999	231	11	158,366	2,603	92,419	-	3.4	-

NORTHERN REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Abitibi De Troyes	NE	11,068	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Adam Creek	NR	50	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Chapleau-Nemegosenda River	Wa	8,165	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Coral Rapids	NR	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Esker Lakes	NE	3,237	15,214	735	2	-	3,742	136	3,336	3.1	3.4	33%
Five Mile Lake	R	456	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Frederick House Lake	NR	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Fushimi Lake	R	5,294	11,827	996	1	1	2,328	46	2,489	3.6	3.3	60%
Greenwater	NE	5,350	10,130	500	4	-	3,073	135	2,013	2.3	3.4	27%
Ivanhoe Lake	NE	1,589	14,698	554	13	-	4,643	149	3,741	2.6	3.2	34%
Kap-Kig-Iwan	NE	292	9,799	838	7	6	2,958	64	1,791	1.7	2.8	34%
Kesagami	Wi	55,977	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Kettle Lakes	R	1,261	32,519	3,370	23	-	6,088	165	5,413	3.3	3.6	49%
Larder River	Wa	2,500	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Little Abitibi	Wa	20,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Missinaibi Lake	NE	44,061	10,112	15	-	-	2,516	50	1,985	4.0	4.0	36%
Nagagami Lake	NR	1,650	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Nagagamisis	NE	8,131	12,001	405	2	-	2,703	165	3,061	3.9	3.4	39%
North Driftwood River	NR	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-

NORTHERN REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Polar Bear	W1	2,408,700	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pushkin Hills	NR	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rene Brunelle	R	2,964	20,214	2,176	19	1	4,324	12,540	122	3,452	2.9	3.6
Sextant Rapids	NR	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	37%
Shallow River	NR	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Thackeray	NR	116	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
The Shoals	NE	10,644	5,401	352	-	-	1,886	4,150	46	1,284	2.2	3.2
Tidewater*	NE	980	2,142	-	-	-	922	922	30	208	1.0	3.0
Wakami Lake	R	8,806	19,100	288	19	-	4,006	17,224	65	4,467	4.3	3.8
Williams Island	NR	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	58%
NORTHERN REGION TOTALS		2,601,338	163,157	10,229	90	8	39,189	119,681	1,173	33,240	-	3.5

*access by water only

NORTHWESTERN REGION
1985

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy
Aaron	R	117	9,576	825	5	2	4,369	5,680	98	1,803	1.3	3.0	22%
Agassiz Peatlands	NR	2,315	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Blue Lake	R	354	39,625	1,301	26	-	17,541	35,082	188	9,901	2.0	3.5	71%
Bonheur River Kame	NR	800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Butler Lake	NR	3,400	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Caliper Lake	R	134	13,531	782	-	-	5,397	10,254	92	3,108	1.9	3.3	40%
Cranberry Lake	NR	2,800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Lake of the Woods	NE	12,900	11,426	1,104	10	-	2,426	6,550	100	2,203	2.7	2.8	23%
Lola Lake	NR	6,572	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Ojibway	R	2,630	7,247	532	3	-	2,954	4,726	50	1,357	1.6	3.3	30%
Opasquia	Wi	473,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pakwash	R	631	4,218	275	6	-	1,560	3,119	60	864	2.0	3.1	15%
Rushing River	R	190	53,872	2,220	8	-	18,963	45,510	191	12,319	2.4	3.7	82%
Sable Islands	NR	1,996	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sandbar Lake	R	3,157	12,613	552	7	-	6,089	9,743	75	2,970	1.6	3.2	50%
Sandpoint Island	NE	900	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Stoux Narrows	R	129	12,724	403	4	-	5,951	11,306	71	3,333	1.9	3.1	64%
Spruce Islands	NR	970	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Winnange Lake	NE	4,745	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Woodland Caribou	Wi	450,000	753	11	1	-	-	696	-	192	-	-	-

NORTHWESTERN REGION TOTALS		967,740	165,585	8,005	70	2	65,250	132,666	925	38,050	-	3.4	
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SOUTHWESTERN REGION
1985 (cont'd)

Park	Classification	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied	Average Length of Stay	Average Party Size	July-August % Occupancy	
Pinery	NE	2,533	395,449	29,195	244	45	100,831	272,814	1,080	79,077	2.7	3.3	82%
Point Farms	R	308	53,992	2,340	18	-	17,569	45,679	199	13,843	2.6	3.3	83%
Port Bruce	R	5	17,325	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Pretty River Valley	NE	808	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rondeau	NE	3,254	189,483	34,752	741	-	19,288	57,863	226	15,321	3.0	3.7	73%
Sauble Falls	R	20	41,299	1,758	6	-	12,608	35,302	152	11,033	2.8	3.2	92%
Selkirk	R	73	14,596	1,364	3	1	2,919	9,925	145	3,926	3.4	2.5	25%
Smokey Head/White Bluff	NR	347	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Trillium Woods	NR	10	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey Point	R	311	109,851	1,259	1	5	10,942	27,354	365	7,398	2.5	3.6	40%
Wheatley	R	241	68,237	6,514	46	-	18,287	43,888	210	11,460	2.4	3.4	54%
SOUTHWESTERN REGION													
TOTALS		27,184	1,533,173	118,560	1,266	63	302,990	843,098	3,963	242,914	-	3.4	

PROVINCIAL PARK SUMMARY 1985

REGION	Area in Hectares	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Campers	Campers Nights	Developed Campsites	Campsites Occupied
Algonquin Region	780,868	1,028,911	45,513	626	79	286,635	853,940	4,133	192,907
Central Region	9,707	2,257,679	136,044	1,252	563	244,853	636,017	3,420	178,374
Eastern Region	18,711	1,204,205	119,761	1,219	155	212,976	568,014	3,160	155,430
North Central Region	869,091	565,791	13,186	262	13	119,181	216,783	1,095	35,389
Northeastern Region	382,648	605,502	11,999	231	11	158,366	348,435	2,603	92,419
Northern Region	2,601,338	163,157	10,229	90	8	39,189	119,681	1,173	33,240
Northwestern Region	967,740	165,585	8,005	70	2	65,250	132,666	925	38,050
Southwestern Region	27,184	1,533,173	118,560	1,266	63	302,990	843,098	3,963	242,914
PROVINCIAL TOTALS	5,657,287	7,524,003	463,297	5,016	894	1,429,440	3,718,634	20,472	968,723

INTERIOR CAMPING

1985

Region	Park	Camper Nights
Algonquin	Algonquin	178,355
Eastern	Frontenac	3,379
Northeastern	Killarney	16,482
Northeastern	Lake Superior	2,038
North Central	Quetico	101,973
Northwestern	Woodland Caribou	696
TOTAL		302,923

WINTER VISITATION

November 1, 1984 to March 31, 1985

Region/ Park	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Campsites Occupied
<u>Algonquin Region</u>						
Algonquin	2,931	696	9	-	654	199
Arrowhead	12,565	2,137	139	-	-	-
Silent Lake	4,525	1,233	8	11	16	5
Totals	20,021	4,066	156	11	670	204
<u>Central Region</u>						
Awenda	1,357	251	17	-	-	-
Bronte Creek	58,538	10,877	220	7	-	-
Sibbald Point	11,304	2,243	3	-	282	81
Springwater	5,067	1,211	15	-	-	-
Wasaga Beach	20,035	-	-	-	-	-
.Totals	96,301	14,582	255	7	282	81
<u>Eastern Region</u>						
Carillon	4,909	-	-	-	-	-
Charleston Lake	1,538	372	6	-	57	6
Frontenac	2,179	200	-	-	79	25
Murphy's Point	3,896	218	-	1	114	-
Presqu'ile	2,999	92	-	-	-	-
Totals	15,521	882	6	1	250	31
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WINTER VISITATION

November 1, 1984 to March 31, 1985

Region/ Park	Visitors	Daily Vehicle Permits	Annual Vehicle Permits	Bus Permits	Camper Nights	Campsites Occupied
<u>North Central Region</u>						
Quetico	667	-	-	-	667	-
Sibley	5,609	-	-	-	115	-
Totals	6,276	-	-	-	782	-
<u>Northeastern Region</u>						
Lake Superior	14,737	-	-	-	-	-
Windy Lake	18,860	-	-	-	-	-
Totals	33,597	-	-	-	-	-
<u>Southwestern Region</u>						
Craigleith	142	-	-	-	142	46
Cyprus Lake	29	-	-	-	29	3
Long Point	160	5	11	-	143	41
Pinery	19,510	4,241	36	2	1,212	-
Rondeau	10,378	3,118	-	-	47	8
Totals	30,219	7,364	47	2	1,573	98
Provincial Totals	201,935	26,894	464	21	3,557	414

VISITOR SERVICES ATTENDANCE STATISTICS

Visitor Services has four components: Communication, Interpretation, Recreation and Outdoor Education. While the following statistics indicate the wide range of Visitor Services provided to park visitors, they do not attempt to describe all public communication functions (e.g., information enquiries handled are not included).

The following tables illustrate the number of visitors who took advantage of the many displays, play areas and other recreational facilities provided in the parks through Visitor Services.

ALGONQUIN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities						Indoor Facilities				Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications			
	Guided Tours	Personal Service	Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Park																		
Algonquin	6,567	25,876	51,979	1,103	-	-	-	-	59,418	-	-	33,995	85,849	-	-	81,553	-	332,600
Arrowhead	314	2,861	-	-	85	2,111	611	-	-	-	-	-	25,000	-	-	-	-	1,376
Grundy Lake	816	2,950	2,794	185	2,180	3,068	887	-	-	-	-	24,600	-	4,485	-	-	-	7,740
Killbear	1,540	4,440	-	147	342	550	40	-	4,000	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,250
Lake St. Peter	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	800	-	-	-	-	7,000
Mikisew	178	-	230	-	719	595	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,500	-	-	-
Petroglyphs	1,226	168	-	866	-	-	-	-	20,681	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	40,000
Silent Lake	-	-	-	40	-	105	-	-	-	-	-	2,800	2,100	-	3,870	-	-	15,000
ALGONQUIN REGION TOTALS	10,641	36,295	55,003	2,341	3,326	6,429	1,538	-	84,099	-	-	61,395	113,749	4,485	6,370	81,553	-	411,966

CENTRAL REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities						Indoor Facilities				Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications			
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications	
Park																		
Awenda	781	425	470	105	32	883	N/A	4,198	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	36,550	1,570	-	-	27,782	
Balsam Lake	-	-	900	24	-	4,698	-	700	-	-	-	2,000	-	10,000	-	-	32,044	
Bass Lake	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000	-	2,500	-	-	8,400	
Bronte Creek	530	239	20,000	43,018	4,623	11,901	-	27,625	36,582	51,582	-	33,529	-	33,461	-	-	35,000	
Darlington	-	493	1,143	-	233	1,662	2,403	-	3,767	-	-	1,000	1,000	-	-	-	24,025	
Devils Glen	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000	-	500	-	-	1,600	
Earl Rowe	55	-	1,845	-	-	-	2,688	-	-	-	-	9,500	5,000	3,450	-	-	116,050	
Emily	132	2,876	-	330	-	1,411	4,855	-	-	-	-	2,300	2,000	-	-	-	29,087	
Mara	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,000	-	-	10,000	
McRae Point	-	-	508	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	4,500	-	3,500	-	-	15,200	
Rock Point	341	-	1,360	-	318	455	498	-	-	-	-	650	432	200	-	-	2,100	
Serpent Mounds	761	155	282	375	602	1,711	809	-	-	-	-	2,198	-	-	-	-	35,004	
Sibbald Point	175	685	1,088	99	-	2,054	23,054	6,941	-	-	-	N/A	-	N/A	-	-	35,000	
Six Mile Lake	-	-	615	-	-	615	1,181	-	-	-	N/A	N/A	-	-	-	-	47,203	
Springwater	250	-	-	-	-	1,500	-	-	-	-	25,000	5,000	-	-	-	-	8,000	
Wasaga Beach	1,401	-	-	564	688	937	250	13,192	4,195	-	-	N/A	17,319	6,287	261	-	33,879	
CENTRAL REGION TOTALS	4,426	4,873	28,211	44,515	6,496	27,827	37,238	52,656	44,544	51,582	25,000	64,677	62,301	63,468	261	-	460,374	

EASTERN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities							Indoor Facilities			Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications		
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Park																	
Bon Echo	511	10,550	-	-	931	721	11,376	8,178	-	-	-	10,500	17,000	-	-	-	27,250
Carillon	289	140	778	543	363	1,566	-	15,000	N/A	N/A	-	6,210	750	-	-	-	800
Charleston Lake	917	4,403	1,120	1,030	751	-	-	4,020	-	-	-	22,512	4,744	-	236	-	18,802
Fitzroy	-	-	365	-	-	-	110	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Frontenac	160	-	-	395	-	12	830	2,342	-	9,142	-	2,050	2,102	-	-	-	12,287
Murphys Point	431	2,161	675	-	896	1,487	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	15,000
Presqu'ile	2,170	3,737	-	917	772	7,386	-	18,328	-	-	-	19,016	N/A	1,000	1,100	-	25,460
Rideau River	14	195	385	-	266	648	605	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Sandbanks	452	3,490	90	132	160	815	-	-	-	8,895	7,000	-	-	-	-	-	58,217
Sharbot Lake	30	-	2,300	-	360	1,426	-	N/A	-	-	-	1,800	N/A	N/A	4	-	11,840
Silver Lake	-	145	1,265	-	-	410	-	-	-	-	30,930	-	2,760	-	-	-	12,052
EASTERN REGION TOTALS	4,974	24,821	6,978	3,017	4,499	14,471	13,001	47,868	-	18,037	37,930	62,088	27,356	1,000	1,340	-	181,708

NORTH CENTRAL REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities							Indoor Facilities			Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications		
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Park																	
Ney's*	919	1,590	-	-	68	633	-	2,827	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Quetico	375	2,300	-	170	-	450	-	1,800	-	-	-	620	-	870	1,491	-	2,490
Sibley	298	2,737	-	-	162	1,009	-	3,081	-	-	-	1,773	1,396	-	-	-	20,380
NORTH CENTRAL REGION TOTALS	1,592	6,627	-	170	230	2,092	-	7,708	-	-	-	2,393	1,396	870	1,491	-	22,870
* with Rainbow Falls Provincial Park a satellite																	

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NORTHEASTERN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities						Indoor Facilities				Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications			
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications	
Park																		
Finlayson Point	-	-	588	-	288	158	-	1,720	-	-	-	200	-	-	36	-	3,000	
Halfway Lake	-	250	2,212	-	240	1,180	-	-	-	-	-	3,217	1,500	-	-	-	5,050	
Killarney	220	895	865	-	135	255	-	-	-	-	-	4,680	-	-	3,000	-	9,845	
Lake Superior	453	3,542	40	62	-	1,143	-	1,446	-	-	17,944	3,780	6,416	-	3,696	-	43,955	
Marten River	2,261	275	1,219	-	-	257	-	-	-	-	2,034	274	-	-	-	-	2,800	
Mississagi	209	1,025	266	-	109	614	-	534	-	-	-	2,076	-	-	-	-	6,000	
Obatanga	110	789	-	-	34	397	-	265	-	-	-	762	-	-	-	-	1,400	
Samuel de Champlain	672	985	45	38	61	473	-	300	-	-	4,576	2,763	-	-	-	-	1,050	
White Lake	-	561	-	-	45	480	-	-	-	-	-	467	-	-	-	-	2,100	
NORTHEASTERN REGION TOTALS	3,925	8,322	5,235	100	912	4,957	-	4,265	-	-	24,554	18,219	7,916	-	6,732	-	75,200	

NORTHERN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities							Indoor Facilities			Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications		
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Park																	
Esker Lake	285	1,374	1,252	324	274	2,002	88	-	942	173	-	1,450	-	-	-	-	1,522
Greenwater	45	322	-	-	90	798	692	1,360	-	-	-	615	1,060	-	-	-	1,070
Ivanhoe Lake	95	584	192	-	38	1,143	-	-	-	93	-	-	1,063	-	-	-	16,300
Kap-Kig-Iwan	25	-	218	-	-	743	117	-	-	-	-	876	-	-	-	-	1,200
Kettle Lakes	350	489	1,019	300	-	880	8,500	31,000	-	-	-	1,690	2,900	-	-	-	3,500
Missinaibi Lake	-	607	-	25	-	-	22	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Rene Brunelle	-	-	175	-	-	996	-	-	-	-	-	410	-	-	-	-	500
Wakami Lake	188	496	-	-	-	1,060	-	500	-	-	1,222	190	-	-	-	-	3,500
NORTHERN REGION TOTAL	988	3,872	2,856	649	402	7,622	9,419	32,860	942	266	1,222	5,231	5,023	-	-	-	27,592

NORTHWESTERN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities						Indoor Facilities			Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications			
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Park																	
Rushing River	171	-	2,700	99	220	522	-	5,139	-	-	-	3,000	-	-	-	-	850
Sandbar Lake	102	221	519	-	52	629	-	-	N/A	-	-	830	-	-	-	-	1,700
NORTHWESTERN REGION TOTALS	273	221	3,219	99	272	1,151	-	5,139	-	-	-	3,830	-	-	-	-	2,550

SOUTHWESTERN REGION 1985	Organized Events/Activities							Indoor Facilities			Outdoor Self-Use Facilities				Publications		
	Guided Tours	Personal Service Evening Programs	Film Programs	School Programs	Children's Programs	Special Events	Other	Indoor Displays/ Museums	Activity Centre	Other	Open Air Displays/ Exhibits	Interpretive Trails	Other Trails	Other	Priced Park Publications	Other Priced Publications	Free Publications
Craigleith	-	355	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Cyprus Lake	370	2,985	1,102	-	10	553	3,819	-	-	-	-	7,028	-	-	-	-	-
Fathom Five	-	-	-	-	-	-	844	18,566	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	28,000
Iroquois Beach	313	4,295	3,220	-	1,351	3,607	80	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Long Point	304	561	239	80	378	751	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	84	-	-
MacGregor Point	537	1,430	218	387	1,106	722	4,681	-	4,677	-	-	-	6,552	6,561	341	-	-
Pinery/Ipperwash	5,394	12,900	-	3,805	2,098	2,032	-	10,334	-	-	-	22,355	36,612	-	-	-	15,660
Point Farms	-	100	1,110	-	350	5,240	-	800	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,200
Rondeau	646	3,409	-	2,147	506	463	2,800	22,220	-	-	-	12,975	13,600	665	-	-	17,893
Sauble Falls	-	406	-	-	-	700	1,785	-	-	-	-	891	-	-	-	-	-
Turkey Point	390	-	319	56	83	936	-	-	-	3,500	-	865	-	-	-	-	3,100
Selkirk	-	-	237	-	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	450	-	-	-	-	1,695
SOUTHWESTERN REGION TOTALS	7,954	26,441	6,445	6,475	5,905	15,004	14,009	51,920	4,677	3,500	-	51,116	56,773	2,006	-	84	224,048

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